

SENIOR RECREATION COUNCIL MEETING

Slusser Senior Center

February 25, 2013

1:30 pm

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CALL TO ORDER

Present: Gloria Symonds, Joanne Woodward, Judy Sanborn, June Garvin, Elaine Lambert, Jon Hunt, Marilyn Ceriello Bresaw

Absent: Jessica Bailey, Recreation Director

Visitors: Merle Dustin, Janet Krzyzaniak

Minutes taken by: Lillian Landry (one meeting).

Review of January 28, 2013 minutes. Motion to accept minutes by June Garvin, seconded by Elaine Lambert. Motion carries.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Students on school suspension program do not have extended use of the kitchen. The rules have not changed. Jessica to remind them.
2. Pool table has evidently been used again over the past weekend. Someone has a key. Will ask Jessica to investigate further.
3. Volunteer meeting was held on February 11. Good attendance. Jessica reviewed old procedures and made new suggestions for front desk volunteers.
4. Should we implement previous rules for snow days when the Center is closed, should Wednesday lunch to be held on Thursday? No one in the building when Center is closed? Need to have empty parking lot for snow removal. How to inform people when there is no school. Must put answering machine and tv. Some others need to be called.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Should plant in the corner of living room be removed to allow for more useable space? No decision was made.
2. We may be the recipient of anew Lowry organ, donated to the Senior Apartments by Mr. Clough's family. Mr. Madden, the apartment manager, feels it may get more use at the Senior Center if we would like to have it. Jessica had asked Janet to investigate that offer and also an offer on a player piano from another source.

PROGRAMS:

1. Jewelry making program will proceed when Jessica and Janet decide the best date.
2. It is difficult to implement new programs in the winter.
3. Cooking class or demonstrations need further research.
4. Jon suggested announcing dominos and cribbage at lunch when more people are here. Cribbage needs a leader. Some Domino players are meeting on Tuesday afternoon.
5. Knitting group to meet also on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.
6. March Movie will be held on Friday, March 22.

7. Suggested we reinstate Tea Parties, but couldn't find a good date.
8. Also discussed bringing back monthly birthday parties. May be to acknowledge them at Wednesday lunch, but no decision was made.
9. Some sort of music program—sing-a-long, dancing lessons, chorus, etc. Still undecided.

OTHER BUSINESS:

1. St. Patrick's Day celebration will be held at Wednesday lunch. (Before or after the 17th) not decided yet.

Next meeting will be held on March 18 at 1:30

Joanne moved to adjourn, seconded by June. Motion carried.